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We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- 1. Application 89 pages, including 11 independent claims and 33 claims total.
- 2. Drawings 25 sheets of formal drawings containing 25 figures.
- 3. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- 4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Kabushiki Kaisha Toshiba.
- 5. Certified copy of Japanese Application No. 2000-025612, filed February 2, 2000.
- 6. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with 1 document attached.
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Applicants claim the right to priority based on Japanese Application No. 2000-025612, filed February 2, 2000.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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